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Re Application of:

Papadimitriou, et al.

Serial No: 09/890,053

Filed: October 19, 2001

For: Pharmaceutical Composition of  
Hydrophobically Modified Hedgehog  
Protein and Their Use

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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS AND PAYMENT OF FEES

UNDER 37 CFR 1.28

Sir:

Applicants assert herewith that, at the time of filing, status as a small entity was established in good faith and fees as a small entity were paid in good faith for the above-referenced patent application. However, Applicants lost entitlement to small entity status on July 18, 2001, and, through error, the Office was not notified of a loss of entitlement to small entity status as required by § 1.27(g)(2). Accordingly, Applicants submit herewith payment of fees which were mistakenly paid at the small entity rate on and after July 18, 2001, for the above-referenced patent application. The fees paid and the respective discrepancies due are itemized

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Fee Description	Date Authorized	Current Fee	Fee Paid	Balance Due
Surcharge for furnishing oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date	October 19, 2001	130.00	65.00	65.00
<b>Total Due: 65.00</b>				

Although Applicants believe no additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. CIBT-P01-097. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed. Please direct any questions arising from this submission to the undersigned at (617) 951-7615.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: November 26, 2002

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